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20 November 1952

INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting held in Director's
Conference Room, Administration Building
Central Intelligence Agency, on 20 November 1952

Director of Central Intelligence

General Walter Bedell Smith

Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. W. Park Armstrong, Jr., Special Assistant, Intelligence,
Department of State
Major General R. C. Partridge, Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
Department of the Army
Rear Admiral R. F. Stout, Acting Director of Naval Intelligence,
Department of the Navy
Brigadier General John B. Ackerman, acting for Director of
Intelligence, Headquarters, United States Air Force
Dr. Walter F. Colby, Director of Intelligence, Atomic
Energy Commission
Brigadier General Edward H. Porter, Deputy Director for
Intelligence, The Joint Staff
Mr. Meffert W. Kuhrtz, acting for Assistant to the Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation

ALSO PRESENT

Mr. Robert Amory, Jr., Central Intelligence Agency
Dr. Sherman Kent, Central Intelligence Agency
Dr. H. Marshall Chadwell, Central Intelligence Agency
[redacted] Central Intelligence Agency

[redacted] (Ret.), Central Intelligence Agency
Mr. William C. Truchart, Department of State
Mr. Howard M. Wiedemann, Department of State
Brigadier General John M. Willems, Department of the Army
Lieutenant Colonel T. C. Anderson, Department of the Army
Lieutenant Colonel Dean T. Vanderhoef, Department of the Army
Dr. L. F. Woodruff, Department of the Army
Captain Kenneth C. Hurd, USN, Department of the Navy
Captain Allan L. Reed, USN, Department of the Navy
Commander William A. Clark, Department of the Navy
Colonel John J. Morrow, United States Air Force
Lieutenant Colonel Thomas J. Grant, United States Air Force
Lieutenant Colonel A. L. Cushing, United States Air Force
Colonel S. M. Lansing, The Joint Staff
Captain E. M. Heberton, USN, The Joint Staff
Colonel John W. Moore, The Joint Staff

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Acting Secretary

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Approval of Minutes

1. Action: The minutes of the last meeting, 6 November 1952, (IAC-M-87) were approved.

Soviet Air Defense
Capabilities 1952-1954
(SIE-5)

2. Action: Approved as amended.

DCID 11/1 (Received from JAEIC)
(IAC-D-58)

3. Action: Agreed to return to Committee for redrafting, the list of those to be notified to be substantially reduced.

Progress Report (IAC-PR-28)

4. Action: Agreed that completion of NIE-70, "Conditions and Trends in the Middle East Affecting U. S. Security," should be accelerated, subject only to the demands of outstanding Soviet estimates.

Proposed Estimate on Albania

5. Action: At DCI's request, agreed to initiate an estimate, priority urgent, of the consequences of the overthrow of the present Albanian regime by a pro-Western regime.

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